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Re the Application of: **Toshiro Sato, et al.**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Date: September 3, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 3, 2004, for one month from August 3, 2004 to September 3, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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